

## REPORT ON INFORMATION COLLECTED CONCERNING APPLICANT

Under section 60835 of title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, the Bureau of State Audits is responsible for collecting information concerning applicants for the Citizens Redistricting Commission that is needed by the Applicant Review Panel to perform its responsibilities. Pursuant to that regulation, Stephanie Ramirez-Ridgeway, Counsel for the Applicant Review Panel, requested information on behalf of the panel concerning an applicant being considered for selection to the Commission. This is a report by bureau staff in response to that request.

Name of Applicant: Charles Spiegel.

Date of request to collect information: June 28, 2010.

Statement of request: Although Mr. Spiegel has three letters of recommendation in his application materials, two of those letters are the same: a letter from Robin M. Edwards dated April 16, 2010. ARP counsel therefore asked the Bureau to find out whether three letters of recommendation were submitted for Mr., Spiegel or just two, and if a third letter was submitted, to provide a copy of that third letter.

Response to request: Three letters of recommendation were submitted on behalf of Mr. Spiegel, but one of them was misfiled. However, that problem has been corrected. Applicant now has three different letters of recommendation included in his application materials that have been provided to the Panel and posted on the Bureau's website.

Recommendations: None.

Name and title of person submitting response: Steven Benito Russo, Chief of Investigations.

Report Date: July 9, 2010.